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30 CENTS PER MONTH, PRICE 2 CENTS.

Special Programme For the Fair.

Our entire store is crowded with new goods for the Fall, and the prices are especially interesting, being the same and lower than last year, notwithstanding the advance on all woolen and cotton goods

Being the Only Clothiers in Orange Co. Who Make Their Own Ready-Made Clothing

we are therefore in a position to save you the middleman's profit, which every clothier must pay to the man who manufactures their goods. This middleman's profit, which is

\$3 on Every \$10,

You save when buying your clothing from us, besides getting better made and better fitting clothing.

**Men's Suits \$3.88, Men's All Wool Suits, With Guarantee Label,
\$4.95, Fine Suits \$6, \$8, \$10, \$12.**

EVERYTHING NEW IN

CHILDREN'S SUITS

Vestee Suits for little men (3 to 8 years), in large variety at all prices.

Men's All Wool Fall Overcoats \$5.00!

These have our guarantee label.

Finer Overcoats for Fall \$8 and \$10.

CHILDREN'S KNEE PANTS, "BUDWIG'S OWN,"

Double seat, double knees, patent waist band and hold fast buttons only

25 Cents a Pair. Everything New in Neckwear.

New Assortment of Underwear. All the New Shapes in Hats

Our \$1.50 and \$2 Derbies equal those others sell at \$2 and \$2.50, and we go them one better yet, as we guarantee to replace any Hat from \$1.50 up which does not satisfy the customer.

CUSTOM SUITS AND PANTS!

Custom Suits from \$16.50 Up. Custom Pants from \$4 Up.

Every garment is cut on our premises. Every garment is tried on while in process of making. Every garment is made by tailors living in this city. Every garment is warranted to please or we refund the money. Look us over while in the city. Make our place your headquarters.

This is our Trade Mark.



Look for it when you buy Clothing.

HIS ANSWER IS YES.

Mr. Low Will Run For First Mayor of the Greater New York.

WILL BE FREE FROM PARTISAN TIES.

In a Lengthy Letter He Explains His Position on the Civil Service and the Excise Laws and Promises Loyalty to the City.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Mr. Low's letter accepting the Citizens' union nomination for mayor was received last night at the headquarters of the union. It is as follows:

Gentlemen—I accept with a deep sense of responsibility the nomination that you have offered me in your communication of Sept. 1. So far as the expression of popular desire which accompanies it implies confidence in me, it will be a lifelong inspiration and a strong impulse. In the event of my election, to fulfill the expectations of those for whom you speak. I take it for granted that this nomination is offered subject to the expressed conditions stated in my letter to a committee of the Citizens' union dated June 7, which letter was used as a basis of your canvass, and in which I said that I could accept no nomination if there was attached to it any obligation, expressed or implied, in case of my election, other than the obligation of the official oath as mayor to make the interests of the city the paramount concern in the discharge of every duty.

I am a Republican, and I expect to remain one, but I am completely in sympathy with the purposes of the Citizens' union to secure a mayor for the great city who shall be "free from all partisan obligations." Such a mayor, if elected, I shall certainly be.

The civil service laws of the state shall be impartially enforced by such methods as will insure a practicable and reasonable test of fitness and the selection of subordinate officers upon their merits, irrespective of political influence, so as to afford a fair chance to every citizen without regard to race, religious belief or political affiliation. It shall be my endeavor to build up in all parts of the public service a spirit of honest pride, based upon the well settled conviction on the part of every person in the city's employ that so long as his services are needed and he renders them faithfully and well no influence in the city shall be able to turn him out, while the moment he fails in his duty no influence shall be strong enough to keep him in.

Nothing is more vital to the welfare of the city, as I can see it, than it be allowed by the legislature to shape its own destinies in all matters that are purely local. I would wish the great city to bear its part proudly in all that concerns the Empire State, but as concerns the city's local affairs, it is not so much a part of the state as it is the home of its inhabitants. If I am elected, I shall contend sturdily for the city's right in such matters to govern itself.

As to the public franchises, the Greater New York charter practically embodies the doctrine that the city shall not part with the ownership of its franchises, but shall lease them for limited periods, subject to occasional revision of the terms. I think legislation should be had, in addition to the charter, that will enable the city to treat every concern to a change of power by street railroads as a new franchise.

It is utterly unreasonable that because of defective legislation those valuable grants should be continued to be given away without compensation to the city. As matters now stand, these consents are granted by the state railroad commission, and the city is deprived of all opportunity to secure a return for them either by way of a money payment or by imposing conditions calculated to secure a service thoroughly in the interest of the public.

I am heartily in favor of carrying to as speedy completion as possible the municipal rapid transit system for which the people of the present city of New York voted for in November, 1894, and, if elected, I shall do everything in my power to facilitate communication between the various boroughs of the great city by means of bridges, tunnels and ferries. Nothing will do so much as a complete system of intercommunication to unify the people of all the boroughs into one municipality and to secure for all parts of the city the maximum advantages of consolidation.

I should gladly interest myself heartily in the schools and in all that concerns the higher life of the people, and I should strive earnestly to promote every municipal interest that makes for the commercial and business prosperity of the city and the welfare of the citizens. The harbor and the water front would command my especial care.

No campaign in the city of New York turning on local issues can be conducted in the present condition of excise legislation without some reference to the excise question. The Raines law, in my belief, contains the germ of an excise system far better than that which it supplanted in that it has relieved the liquor traffic of the arbitrary control of excise boards and has substituted for this a grant of explicit rights that can be enforced at law. Where the Raines law failed as applied to New York it fails because it does not take into account the public sentiment of the city. New York, while characteristic of an American city, is also, as the Germans say, a world city.

It is cosmopolitan in fact and cosmopolitan in sentiment. Men of every sort of upbringing must be able to live in such a city happily and naturally, of course, with due regard to the rights and convictions of others. Legislators on this subject should never forget that the excise law stands midway between the laws that everybody believes in and the dead laws that no-

body believes in, and that the effective public sentiment behind it locally is the only permanent force on which to depend in its administration. For this reason, in my opinion, an excise law, so far as it affects the daily life and the habits of the people, should reflect the public opinion of the city. On such points, in case of radical differences of opinion, I should take the appeal to the people themselves. In a community like this I know no better way to secure for an excise law the support of a sentiment that will sustain its even enforcement.

The city of New York will have a population larger than that of most of the states of the Union and larger than that of all the colonies combined when they issued their Declaration of Independence. The wish of those for whom you speak, as I understand it, is especially to secure for this imperial city the opportunity to start upon its new career under an administration pledged to make the interests of the city its supreme care. Such a purpose ought to appeal to the civic pride of every citizen. I could wish that the popular movement which you represent had designated some other man to lead in the great struggle, for in such a cause it would have been a pleasure to serve in the ranks. But if my fellow citizens see fit to intrust the arduous task to me I shall serve them loyally with every power that I have. Respectfully, SETH LOW.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At Brooklyn—

Brooklyn 1 0 2 1 1 2 1 — 8

New York 2 1 0 0 3 1 1 — 5

Brooklyn—Hits, 11; errors, 2. New

York—Hits, 11; errors, 4. Game called on account of darkness.

At Cleveland—

Cleveland 1 0 0 2 3 0 0 1 — 7

St. Louis 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 4 — 2

Cleveland—Hits, 12; errors, 3. St.

Louis—Hits, 8; errors, 6.

At Louisville—

Louisville 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 7 — 7

Pittsburg 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 — 2

Louisville—Hits, 9; errors, 2. Pitts-

burg—Hits, 6; errors, 2.

At Washington—

Cincinnati 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 — 2

Washington 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 — 1

Cincinnati—Hits, 5; errors, 1. Wash-

ington—Hits, 5; errors, 2. Game called on account of darkness.

At Baltimore—

Baltimore 0 1 2 0 0 1 0 0 — 4

Chicago 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 — 2

Baltimore—Hits, 8; errors, 0. Chicago—

Hits, 5; errors, 0.

Second game—

Baltimore 0 2 6 3 — 11

Chicago 3 0 1 0 0 4 — 9

Baltimore—Hits, 9; errors, 2. Chicago—

Hits, 8; errors, 2. Game called on ac-

count of darkness.

Standing of the Clubs.

Won. Lost. P. C.

Baltimore 82 33 .713

Boston 83 35 .703

New York 75 41 .647

Cincinnati 67 49 .577

Cleveland 59 59 .500

Washington 54 62 .461

Chicago 53 65 .449

Brooklyn 53 65 .449

Philadelphia 51 67 .432

Pittsburg 50 66 .429

Louisville 50 69 .420

St. Louis 27 91 .429

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

The western part of Guatemala has risen against President Barrios.

The steamer Niagara, which grounded off Santiago de Cuba, was floated.

Louise Michel and a band of English anarchists propose to visit America.

Forty persons were killed by an accident in the Champion Reefs mine. India.

Sarah Bernhardt was slightly injured by a fall from a cliff at Belle Isle en Mer.

Spanish priests have been ordered by the vatican to abstain from Carlist agitations.

The bodies of two more victims of the Newcastle (Colo.) railway wreck have been identified.

The representatives of the Cuban junta of New York have been expelled from Vera Cruz, Mexico.

The revolting Indian tribesmen have surrounded Fort Shabkadr and threatened to make another attack.

The steamer Ilumboldt from St. Michael reports the steamer Eliza Anderson safe in Dutch harbor.

Rev. G. B. F. Howard, a United States prisoner from Tennessee, has escaped from the Ohio penitentiary at Columbus.

John E. Redmond, the Parnellite, says that Ireland's prospect of starvation this winter is blacker than for many years.

Arnold Luetgert, son of the Chicago sausage maker on trial for alleged wife murder, plans to tour the country to exhibit the vat in which Mrs. Luetgert's body is said to have been destroyed.

Massacre in Congo.

MARSEILLE, Sept. 14.—Mails which have arrived from the French Congo bring news of the massacre of a trading convoy in canoes, Upper Congo. The Pahonin tribe on July 20 fell upon the convoy near the town of Njole, on the Congo river, killing about 40 natives.

The two white men who were in command are believed to have escaped.

Loan to a Government.

MONTEVIDEO, Sept. 14.—A number of leading bankers have agreed to make a loan to the government of 500,000 pesos to defray the expenses of the war with the insurgents which has just been brought to a conclusion.

Four Drowned in Iowa.

WATERLOO, Ia., Sept. 14.—Rev. Scott Hyatt and wife, Royal McQueen and Miss A. E. Tibbets were drowned in the Cedar River at Waverly. The party was on an excursion.

The Sheriff Defies Danger.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 14.—Sheriff Martin came down to Wilkesbarre from his home at Plains yesterday. He at once repaired to his office in the courthouse, where he held a long consultation with his attorney. Later he was in telephonic communication with General Gobin at Hazleton.

Sheriff Martin insists on walking the streets unattended. His friends think this is dangerous, and they advised him to procure a bodyguard, but he laughs at the idea.

He says he does not believe in a mo-

TROUBLE AT ECKLEY

Strikers March on a Colliery of the Cox Bros. Mines.

FUNERALS OF LATIMER VICTIMS.

Emma Haas, the Miners' Joan of Arc, Arrested With Other Women at Plum Creek—A Fight Between Miners and Deputies Followed.

HAZELTON, Pa., Sept. 14.—Trouble has broken out at Cox Bros.' colliery at Buck Mountain, which is about three miles from Eckley, went on strike and started toward the Eckley mine. The superintendent of the Eckley colliery telegraphed to General Gobin for troops, but later the request was withdrawn, the superintendent notifying the general that the striking miners had stopped marching.

After this General Gobin received another telegram stating that these miners had again assembled, had marched on the Eckley mines and forced the miners to quit work. It was stated in the dispatch that the miners had been roughly handled by the strikers.

General Gobin has ordered the City troop of Philadelphia to go to the scene of the disturbance. Eckley is a small mining village and lies in a valley. There are a number of collieries, and fears have been entertained for the past 48 hours that trouble would break out, as the men had been acting very ugly.

The situation in the Hazleton district is one of unrest. All the collieries in this district are apprehensive of danger.

Requests have been pouring in to General Gobin from the various mines asking that he send troops to the places in order to prevent any possible outbreak.

The general states that he will not send troops to any point unless an outbreak does occur.

The general declines to give the names of the collieries,



Waverley Bicycles

BICYCLES AND SUNDRIES

I have on hand the following new 1897 \$100 Models, 1 Orient \$75, 1 Trinity \$75, 1 Dayton \$75, 1 Jersey \$75, 1 Sparta \$75, 1 Orange \$75, 1 with 37 tires and wheel \$50. A range of Juveniles which will close out cheap. All wheels guaranteed. Second-hand wheels from \$15. Singles and tandems, both double, diamond and combination for rent. Repairing a specialty.

C. L. SWEZY,
24 North Street, Corner
King St., Middletown.

THIS WEEK AS A TRADE STARTER

We will make special sales price on Carpets, Linoleums and Oil Cloths. Our entire line of Rugs are under orders to go at reduced rates. Do not fail to call out our Window Shades.

MATTHEWS & CO.
NORTH AND ROBERT STS., MIDDLETOWN

CARPET BAG FACTORY

"A HAND SAW IS A GOOD THING, BUT NOT TO SHAVE WITH."

SAPOLIO
IS THE PROPER THING FOR HOUSE-CLEANING.

Money left with the First National Bank of Middletown, on certificate of deposit for three (3) months, will draw interest at the rate of three (3) percent per annum.
By order Board of Directors,
SEYMOUR DEWITT, Cashier.

CASINO THEATRE.

ONE NIGHT ONLY.

Tuesday Evening, Sept 14th

The talented actor,

OLIVER BYRON,

supported by the charming artiste

KATE BYRON,

and a competent company in

THE UPS AND

DOWNS OF

LIFE.

Replete with startling situations
and uproarious fun.

CASINO THEATRE.

Thursday, Sept 16th.

1st TIME IN MIDDLETOWN

OF

Sardou's Masterpiece,

M M E.

SANS

GENE

(English Version)

Casino Theatre

ONE NIGHT ONLY.

Monday Ev'g, Sept. 20th.

The latest novelty—Thomas H. Davis and William T. Keogh's stupendous scenic and dramatic triumph.

The Great Train Robbery

A REALISTIC, ROMANTIC AND STIRRING
PICTURE OF THE WEST

Never before surpassed on the mimetic stage. True to life. Unparalleled scenic splendor. Car-loads of elaborate scenery and properties.

NO OTHER SHOW LIKE IT ON EARTH

PRAISE FOR ONTARIO AND WESTERN
Ranks in the Very First Row of Solvent
Railroads.

Henry Labouchere, in his weekly financial review in London Truth, speaks of the Ontario and Western and its management in the following flattering terms:

Concerning the Ontario and Western I may mention that, although the fiscal year ended June 30, was not a good one, the road earned \$400,000 for the stock, and the current fiscal year will doubtless show very much better results. According to the balance sheet the entire current obligations of every nature were \$913,053, while the actual cash assets were \$2,528,148, not counting the supplies on hand or securities of other companies. This leaves an actual available cash balance of \$1,615,095. There are few roads which can make as satisfactory a showing as this; in fact Ontario and Western ranks in the very first row of solvent railroads. Of the cash assets \$1,133,000 are actual cash and loans and bills receivable. There is a report that the directors propose to pay a one per cent. dividend."

AN ECHO MEETING.

Programme for the Meeting to Be Held
at the Second Presbyterian Church,
To-night.

A pleasing programme has been arranged for the echo meeting of the Young People's Societies to be held at the Second Presbyterian Church, this (Tuesday) evening, at 8 o'clock. Addresses on interesting things heard at the international convention at San Francisco will be given by the delegates from this city. A cordial invitation is extended to all young people's societies and all interested to attend the meeting. Rev. Wm. A. Robinson, D. D., will preside and the choir of the First Congregational Church, under the direction of Choirmaster A. D. Marvin, will have charge of the music. The programme follows:

Hymn—"Oward Christian Soldier." Scripture Reading W. A. Hurda
Hymn—"Turn out the Light Line." H. B. Woodward
Prayer H. B. Woodward
Reading of the Old Home. Quartette
First Echo Address A. B. Hurda
Hymn—"Blessed Assurance." David E. Louie
Second Echo Address David E. Louie
Hymn—"God be with you till we meet again." Rev. Chas. Beattie, D. D.
Benediction Rev. Chas. Beattie, D. D.

A NOVEL SCHEME.

A Line of Horseless Carriages for the
Delaware Valley.

It is now said that the parties who have been trying unsuccessfully to put through the Delaware Valley railroad project have changed their plans and now propose to put on a line of horseless carriages, running from Stroudsburg to Bushkill and later to Port Jervis. Negotiations have already begun with manufacturers of horseless carriages. It is proposed to build them to carry parties of six, eight or ten, and they are expected to make the trip from East Stroudsburg to Bushkill in half an hour.

THE GREAT TRAIN ROBBERY.

A Play in Which Six Cheyenne Indians
Will Appear.

Charles A. Davis, general agent for Davis & Keogh's theatrical enterprises, was in this city, Monday, preparing for the advent of his firm's latest dramatic novelty, "The Great Train Robbery," at the Casino Theatre, Monday evening, Sept. 20. A feature of this production, which deals with life in the southwest, is a band of six real Cheyenne Indians—fresh from the reservation at Fort Reno, I. T. "The Great Train Robbery" is playing in New York, this week.

Claimed to Have Been thrown from a
Train.

An unknown man found in an Ontario and Western box car at Norwich, Saturday evening, suffering from a severe cut on the head, claimed that he had received it by being thrown from a train.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature to do its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for lists of testimonials. Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Pine Apple Dyspepsia Cordial.

It has recently been discovered that the juice of the pine apple rapidly digests both animal and vegetable food and is nature's greatest digestive. The Pine Apple Dyspepsia Cordial combines with the delicious juice of the pine apple other grateful and superior stomach tonics which renders it the most marvelous discovery and cure known for indigestion, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, sour stomach, weight and tenderness in stomach nausea and sick stomach, sick headache, sleeplessness, frightful dreams, and all trouble arising from disease of the stomach or disordered digestion. It is delicious to take and on account of its wonderful digestive power gives almost instant relief. Sold by J. E. Mills, druggist, No. 2 Empire Block, Middletown, N. Y.

Constipation is the cause of all sorts of serious disorders of the blood. Strong cathartics are worse than useless. Burdock Blood Bitters is nature's own remedy for troubles of this sort.

All those terrible, itching diseases of the skin that help to make life miserable for us are caused by external parasites. Doan's Ointment kills the parasite and cures the disease. Perfectly harmless, never fails. W. D. Olney.

To soothe the broken and diseased tissues, to soothe the irritated surfaces, to instantly relieve and to permanently cure is the mission of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. W. D. Olney.

Nature's Own Protection.
Explanation of Why a Swelling Follows from a Blow.

NATURE'S OWN PROTECTION.

The swelling which follows from a blow is nature's effort to protect the part from further injury and to keep it at rest while repair is going on, says the Philadelphia Times. What actually takes place at the seat of injury is not even now quite understood. The injury to the smaller blood vessels interferes with the flow of blood through them and the white corpuscles, with part of the serum, the watery part of the blood, escape into the surrounding tissues. At the same time the blood vessels in the neighborhood dilate and the increased flow of blood with the thoroughfare obstructed increases the swelling.

It is probable that the white corpuscles of the blood pass into the tissues to assist in the repair, as bees or ants assemble at an injury to their storehouse, but with this difference, that the substance of the corpuscles is probably converted into the tissue of repair. From one point of view the human body is only one gigantic colony of individuals, and the swelling that follows injury but the rush of these to repair the breach.

Once Had Earthquakes.

Southern Scotland and northern England are visited by multitudes of strangers each year, and many get as far as the Western Isles. Few of them, however, are reminded of volcanic phenomena, though columnar basalts, such as those of Fingal's cave, may sometimes suggest the thought of lava. Yet for long periods of time in the far past this region has been covered with volcanoes like Hecla, and lava sheets like those of the Snake river. Japan is not more plagued with earthquakes than England has been, and the quiet little island has had its Krakatoas. It may have them again, but there is no immediate danger.

A Nightmare.

"What's de matter wit' ye. Weary? Ye look sad."

"Gee! I dreamed I was workin' in a soap factory las' night."—N. Y. Truth.

BULLVILLE.

Going to the Fair—Recovering from His
Injury—Opening of School—Change of
Station Agent.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

Bullville will be well represented at the Orange County Fair at Middletown, this week.

The first baseman of our team, Frank Dickerson, who was quite seriously injured at Walden, last Monday, we are glad to say, is improving. He is progressing slowly, but we hope to see him around again.

Our public school opened on Monday, with Miss Caldwell, of Newburgh, as teacher.

Clarence F. Dickerson, of Middletown, spent Sunday at his home near this place.

Station Agent Walter G. Merritt, who has been at this place for nearly two years, has been promoted to be agent at Hawthorne, on the main line of the Erie near Paterson. He took his position there last week. S. M. Roberson, son of Supervisor S. D. Roberson, has taken the station at this place.

BLOOMINGBURH.

Resignation of Postmaster Low—At the
Reformed Church—Visit to Peachwood
Farm.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

T. M. Low has sent in his resignation as postmaster to take effect by Oct. 1st. Mr. Low is about to engage in other business.

At the Reformed Church, Sunday, Rev. J. L. Stillwell was assisted by Rev. Joseph Malett, of White Point, and Rev. Isaac W. Gowan, of Weehawken, N. J. Mr. Gowan, who was a classmate of Mr. Stillwell at college, preached both morning and evening.

A party of boarders from Mrs. D. D. Low's, accompanied by one of our citizens, visited the peach orchard of N. B. Sinclair at Peachwood Farm, Sunday. After going through the orchard and admiring the delicious fruit and tasting the different kinds until they could taste no more, each one selected a few samples of different varieties to take home with them. All agreed that the trees bending under the weight of fruit were a sight well worth seeing.

WESTTOWN.

A Church Sociable.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—The ladies of the M. E. Church at Westtown, will hold a sociable at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Huber Brown on the lower road, on Friday evening of this week, September 17, 1897. Refreshments will be served and a nice entertainment will be given. All are cordially invited.

Selkie Rheumatism Cured.

L. Wagner, wholesale druggist, Richmond, Va., says: "I had a fearful attack of sciatic rheumatism, was laid up almost two months, was fortunate enough to get Mystic Cure For Rheumatism. This cured me after doctors' prescriptions had failed to have any effect. I have also heard of fine results from others who have used it." J. E. Mills, druggist, No. 2 Empire Block, North street, Middletown, N. Y.

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HAVEN.

Dull Times for Boatmen—Cord Wood in
Fair Demand—Clearing Up Along the
Canal—Crop Conditions—Many Per-
sonal and Local Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—Our school commenced Tuesday of last week. Our teacher, James Cunningham, of Wurtsboro, seems to be the right man in the right place, as the scholars all seem to be pleased with him. He rides his bike to and from the school mornings and nights. We wish him and his school success.

—John A. Kopp accompanied Miss Grace Hosier from her week's visit at Cochecton. Mr. Kopp spent a week hunting ducks on Bassas Kill and visiting his friends at this place.

—Miss Sybil Decker was home Sunday afternoon visiting her parents.

—Our farmers are very busy at present cutting corn and threshing their buckwheat. Henry Leigh, who has the Graham farm, has an enormous crop of buckwheat and his corn is also No. 1. He is a very good farmer if one may judge from the appearance of his crops.

—H. R. Philcox, whose farm adjoins Mr. Leigh's, also has a fine crop of buckwheat.

—Corn, from appearances, is a good crop with most of our farmers. Potatoes with some are a very good crop, although some say they find a good many rotten ones.

—The Misses Nellie and Daisy Jansen, of this place, who have been assisting Mrs. Carpenter, of High View, this summer, in attending to the wants of her numerous city boarders, arrived home last week.

—Capt. Harry Moore and his first mate, John Ogg, arrived here with their boat, last week, and are loading her again with cord wood for Fulton & Hooters, of Wurtsboro.

—Joseph McLanghlin and wife, of Walden, spent Sunday with John Hosier.

—William Sayre, of Westbrookville, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. R. M. Sayre, of this place.

—The tow path is now undergoing a general cleaning of all standing brush and weeds on its slope. When completed it will be a great improvement to the appearance of the canal.

—Capt. Fred Jansen is home at this writing from his boat which is still lying in Rondout. I think this is his fourth week home. This seems a long time for a boat to lay with a cargo, but some have laid five weeks this summer and the worst of it all is there does not seem to be any brighter prospects.

—The cord wood business is very good, for wood is now being shipped from this place at a lively rate. There still remains an immense amount of it for shipment from this place and vicinity.

—J. C. Decker and sister and Miss Mary A. Moley recently visited Mrs. O. P. Allen at Summittville.

—Miss Annie Moore, who has been spending her summer vacation with her sister, Mrs. F. E. Hotchkiss, of Liberty, returned home Friday evening of last week. She was accompanied by her sister and her little nephew, Harold.

YOU CANNOT CURE PILES

By Internal Remedies.

The only sure way to cure every form of piles is to use a remedy like the Pyramid Pile Cure which is applied directly to the parts affected and its wonderful healing effects are apparent from the first application because the medicinal properties are rapidly absorbed by tissues and sensitive membranes of the rectum, and the cure is made speedily, and almost before the patient is aware of it every trace of piles have left him.

This is one of the reasons why the Pyramid Pile Cure has been so uniformly successful. It is applied directly just where it is needed and where it will do the most good. Not by the roundabout way of the stomach nor by the harsh, barbarous methods of various surgical operations and so called systems.

Direct application to the seat of disease is the only rational way, and this is fully accomplished by the Pyramid Pile Cure.

If the voluntary testimony of thousands who have tried this remedy is worth anything, then no sufferer has any excuse for longer delaying in giving it a fair trial, knowing that when you do so the Pyramid Pile Cure will have made one more friend, the best possible advertisement we can have. The chief advantages of the remedy are: It cures without pain, the cure is lasting, it contains no poison, and lastly, it is the cheapest and quickest cure yet found. Your druggist can tell you what it has done for others. Sold by druggists at 25 cents and \$1 per package.

A book on cause and cure of piles mailed free by addressing Pyramid Drug Co., Albion, Mich.

FOR OVER FIFTY YEARS

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething. If disturbed at night and broken off by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children. It will relieve the poor little sufferer in a moment. It is the best medicine for children. It is a safe medicine. Sold by druggists at 25 cents a bottle. Send and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup."

The "bicyclists best friend" is a familiar name for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, always ready for emergencies. While a specific for piles, it also instantly relieves and cures cuts, bruises, salt rheum, eczema and all afflictions of the skin. It never fails. W. D. Olney.

VISIONS.

"Do you believe in second sight?"

"To a certain extent I do. I have more than once seen double."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Scientific Methods.

Birch—Riches have wings!

Pine—Possibly, but most millionaires seem to have succeeded in clipping them pretty successfully.—Brooklyn Life.

Bladder Disease.

Bladder, Kidney and Urinary dis-

eases are dreadful afflictions. Their

progress is usually slow. Men and

women suffer for years, and many die

at last in great agony. Dr. David

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 14.—General fair weather; slightly warmer.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day: 7 a. m., 63°; 12 m., 81°; 3 p. m., 80°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

Sept. 14—Echo meeting, C. E. Societies.

Sept. 14-17—Orange County Fair.

Sept. 16—"Mme Sans Gene," at Casino.

Sept. 21—Trolleymen's picnic, at Midway Park.

Sept. 28—Japanese Kettle Drum, at First Baptist Church.

Oct. 1 and 2—Orange County Horse Show, at Goshen.

TUESDAY, SEPT 14, 1897.

JUDICIARY CONVENTION.

Whereas, at the Judiciary Convention of the Democratic party, held in and for the Second Judicial District, at the Court House, in the city of Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 29th day of September, 1896, it was unanimously resolved that the Chair, and members of the Executive Committee, be directed to call the next Judiciary Convention of said district, and to effect its organization as temporary officers.

Now, therefore, by virtue of said authority, the undersigned do hereby call a Judiciary Convention of the Democratic party, and for the Second Judicial District, to be held at the Court House, in the city of Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 29th day of September, 1897, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the office of Justice of the Supreme Court, in place of Mr. Justice Willard Bartlett, to be voted for at the ensuing general election.

Dated September 14, 1897.

ARTHUR C. ALMON, Chairman.

JOHN W. LYON, Secretary.

Judge Charles F. McLean, who held the trial term of the Supreme Court at Goshen in June, is now talked of as the Democratic candidate for Mayor of Greater New York.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ellen.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ellen, widow of the late Thomas Ellen, died, this morning, at her home, 16 Cortland street.

A more extended notice will appear tomorrow.

Burt Smith.

Burt Smith died at 5:30 o'clock, this morning, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Emmet Smith, near Monhagen Lake, aged twenty-seven years. He was an only son, and his parents are inconsolable. He had been sick since November, with complications following an attack of grip. He was a patient sufferer and was reconciled to death.

Mrs. Margaret Litts.

Mrs. Margaret Litts, widow of the late Rev Henry Litts, died at 10:30, to-day, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Susie Monks, 88 Linden Terrace.

She is survived by two sons, Theodore S., of Scranton, Pa., and Charles H., of Wawayanda, and by a daughter, Mrs. Monks.

The funeral will be held at the Deckertown M. E. Church, Thursday afternoon at 1:30.

Mrs. George E. Beakes.

After four weeks of patient suffering, Hannah N., the beloved wife of George E. Beakes, passed peacefully away in her home, 116 Highland avenue, shortly after midnight.

Four weeks ago, yesterday, when informed of the death of her daughter-in-law, at Sidney, Mrs. Beakes was prostrated. Bilious remittent fever developed, and after three weeks pneumonia attacked the sufferer, which ended her earthly career.

Mrs. Beakes, who was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Increase C. Jordan, was born near Bloomingburgh, Jan. 7, 1845. She married George E. Beakes at her home, Nov. 20, 1867. They removed to this city in 1893, from Sidney, where they had resided ten years. Four children were born to them: Charles H., of New York; Crosby Jordan and Edna, at home; Susie J., who died in infancy, Feb. 3, 1871.

Mrs. Beakes' mother survives her with the following brothers and sisters: Increase C. Jordan, of this city; Joseph V. Jordan, of Newburgh; Mrs. Mary C. Smith, of Norwich; Mrs. Sarah A. Dil, of Kingston; Mrs. Frances H. McKenna, of Thompson Ridge. Mrs. Harriet L. Wilkinson, another sister, died at Walkill twenty years ago.

Mrs. Beakes had been for a number of years a consistent member of the First Presbyterian Church. The funeral will occur at her late home on Thursday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, and will be conducted by her pastor, Rev. Dr. Gordon, Interment in Hillside.

One application of Dr. Thomas' Electro Oil takes away the pain of the most severe burn. It is an ideal family liniment.

Cholera mortis, cholera infantum, diarrhea, dysentery, and all those other deadly enemies to the little ones are infallibly cured by Dr. Fowler's Ext. o Wild Strawberry.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers.

The famous little pills.

AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

The Vocal Society's First Concert—Gone to Mt. Clemens—Special Meeting of Elliotts—New Hydrants—Quarterly Conference at the M. E. Church—Other Notes.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

Season tickets for the concerts of the Vocal Society can be secured at C. E. Millspaugh's, "The Last Judgment," by Spohr, will be given at the first concert, Thursday evening, Sept. 30th. It is a work new to the society, and will be rendered with the assistance of well known soloists and orchestral support.

Mayor Hoch started for Mt. Clemens, Mich., last night.

A special meeting of Elliott H. and L. Co. will be held to-morrow night.

A number of new fire hydrants are being put in to replace defective ones throughout the village.

The regular quarterly conference of the M. E. Church will be held after prayer meeting, Wednesday night.

Gus White is at the Orange County Fair, this week, with his "Punch and Judy" show.

Orange Lodge, I. O. O. F., meets to-night.

George H. Mills is at Pittsfield, Mass., acting as starting judge at trotting races, this week.

DOINGS OF THE FIREMEN.

Business Transacted at Last Night's Meetings.

Several fire companies held their regular monthly meetings, last night, but only routine business was transacted and matters pertaining to the annual parade, Sept. 30th, discussed.

M'COY ENGINE COMPANY.

The company transacted routine business and decided to hold its annual festival at the Assembly Rooms, Thursday evening, Sept. 30th, parade night. The following committee was appointed to make arrangements: President F. J. Nearn, James Gavin, John S. Farrell, James Durham, Thomas Costello, Thos. Guerin.

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Forced to Resign His Position.

William Allison Davis, for ten years a valued employee of the Wallkill Hat Shops, has been forced to resign his position, to-day, through ill health. "Billy" had charge of the box department and the work had become to hard for his impaired physique. He will engage in the laundry business with his mother.

Relief in Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder disease relieved in six hours by "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." It is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in bladder, kidneys and back, in male or female. Relieves retention of water almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy.

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT.

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 16 North street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14, '97.

Yesterday To-day Close Close

Sugar..... 155 157

Tobacco..... 92 92

Chicago Gas..... 1043 1043

Nat. Lead..... 41 41

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TUESDAY, SEPT 14, 1897.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

—See Budwig & Co.'s special program for the fair.
—Clothing of all kinds cheap at Chas. Wolff's Sons. See adv.
—"The Great Train Robbery," at Casino, Feb. 20th.
—Money wanted on bond and mortgage.
—All kinds of jewelry at A. M. Ambers.
—See the 5-month-old hen and chicks at Fair.
—100+ styles dress goods at Churchill & Co.'s
—France & Hathaway open their new furniture store, 25-27 East Main street, to-day.
—Fresh fish 5¢ a pound.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Remember that the third page of this paper contains good local news.
—"The Ups and Downs of Life," at the Casino, to-night.

—McQuoids hold a drill and practice meeting at 7 o'clock to-night.
—"Mme. Sans Gene" will be the attraction at the Casino, Thursday night.

—"The Great Train Robbery" will be the attraction at the Casino, next Monday evening.

—Patronize home merchants rather than concerns which are here to-day and no known where to-morrow.

—A foreigner, who was a passenger on Erie train 5, died Sunday night just before the train reached Elmira.

—Remember Oliver and Kate Bryon will present "The Ups and Downs of Life" at the Casino, to-night.

—Charles Wolff's Sons have a large advertisement on the eighth page, which will interest all in need of clothing.

—A cottage prayer meeting will be held at the home of Edward Palmer, 130 North street, to-night at 7:30 o'clock.

—Poughkeepsie has a "hugger," who straddles behind trees, jumps out as young women pass and embraces them so vehemently as to almost crack their bones.

—Because of a disagreement with the leader seven members of the Hudson River Hospital Band, which has done much for the entertainment of patients, have left the organization.

—Budwig & Co.'s big advertisement on the first page of this paper will attract attention without having mention made of it here. Still a word of reminder to the reader in need of clothing need not be amiss.

—The Pittsburg concern that recently leased the Kilmers works in Newburgh is turning out barbed wire and a few wire nails. The rental paid provides for insurance and interest on the bonds, but leaves nothing for the stockholders of the company that now owns the plant.

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PERSONAL.

—Miss Anna Davis, of Newton, is spending a few days with relatives and friends in this city.

—J. E. Wickham, of Port Jervis, has gone to Mt. Clemens for treatment for rheumatism.

—Miss Mamie Tierney, of Cohoes, is in this city on a visit of several weeks to the family of her cousin, Mrs. P. J. Kirk, No. 171 North street.

—Mrs. Fred Sykes and son, of Onawa, Iowa, and Mrs. Newton Sykes, of Walden, are visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. E. Van Keuren, at 116 Cottage street.

—Smith Decker, of Port Jervis, who is a bustling assistant superintendent of the Prudential Insurance Company of that place, is in town visiting his numerous friends.

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SPECIAL TRAIN EAST ON THE ERIC ON LAST THREE DAYS OF THE FAIR.

The Eric will run a special train on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, leaving Middletown, James street, at 5:40 p.m. and stopping at all stations to Greycourt and connecting there with train for Newburgh. During the fair round trip tickets are sold at all stations in Orange county, at one and one-third the regular one way fare for the round trip.

LOCAL LAW BREAKERS BEFORE JUDGE BEATTIE.

Judge Beattie, yesterday, sentenced Virgil Monell, who pleaded guilty to burglary at the Congregational Church, this city, Feb. 13, 1895, to six months in the county jail. The prisoner's mother's plea for leniency had weight with the judge.

Louis Wilmore pleaded guilty to an unnatural crime committed in this city and was remanded for sentence.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

Gardner & McWilliams, insurance and real estate agents, have sold for S. S. Mallett, a building lot adjoining his residence on Prospect avenue, to Edward Canfield, Sup't. of the O. and W.

CAPT. COX ABLE TO LEAVE THE HOSPITAL.

Capt. J. J. Cox, who has been at Thrall Hospital for some time, has so much improved in health that he was removed to his home, yesterday. He is making slow but sure progress toward recovery from the injuries he received in the failing elevator in the New York post office.

ARDEN, N. Y., Aug. 9, 1897.—We value Hood's Sarsaparilla very highly. My mother was afflicted with asthma for 20 years. She began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and a few bottles of this medicine cured her. She has not had a sick day since that time. My brother has also taken Hood's Sarsaparilla, and it has done him much good.

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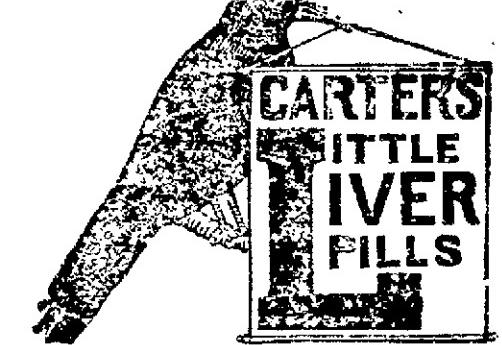
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THINGS LOOK SERIOUS

More Fever Cases Reported From Various Southern Points.

A DEATH OCCURS AT BERKLEY.

Traffic and Business Light at New Orleans, Which Is Held In Strict Quarantine—Yellow Jack Spreads in Biloxi.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—The official dispatches to the surgeon general make the situation more serious. Dr. Guiteras, the government expert, reported a case of yellow fever at the city hospital at Mobile, also a suspected case, and added that he apprehended a serious outbreak. At the same time Surgeon Carter telegraphed from Ocean Springs that four cases of yellow fever existed at Berkley, that there had been eight cases known to be yellow fever, and that two exposed physicians were at Vancleave and Scranton practically under guard. The dispatch from Dr. Guiteras at Mobile is as follows:

"Have found one case of yellow fever at City hospital. Norwegian, who has not been out of city; probably fatal termination. One suspicious case. I apprehend serious outbreak. Every facility has been extended me here."

Surgeon General Wyman telegraphed: "Wire occupation of Norwegian in City hospital and how he could have contracted it. Instructions later."

The surgeon general also wired to Dr. Rhett Gode, president of the board of health of Mobile, asking him to telegraph an assurance that every measure is being taken to prevent spread from the one case in the City hospital and from the suspected case.

The dispatch from Surgeon Carter at Ocean Springs was as follows:

"Four cases yellow fever now at Berkley. One death, Robert Glenn. One case malarial fever there. Have been 12 cases of sickness all told, ten of which were yellow fever and two of which I know were. Four deaths; no dengue. Only four nonimmunes, yet the well have been directly exposed, three much exposed. I moved those three into absolute isolation in noninfected quarters, with Dr. Gaines. The fourth is in a house in the country and is isolated but not under guard, a source of but little danger now. The physicians who have been exposed are in Scranton and Vancleave, a community, I am told, rather than a town. The one at Vancleave is nonimmune, the one in Scranton is Dr. Kells. The infected houses are practically under guard for the present. Guards stationed at the two abandoned. Some burning done and some destruction of light fabrics. More will be done by Dr. Gaines, who will stay there some days. The few who are not sick or immune are very anxious to come to camp."

Surgeon Carter, who has been at Ocean Springs, was ordered to proceed to New Orleans to aid in inspection of outgoing trains and steamboats already begun by Assistant Surgeon Norman.

Surgeon Wasdin, who has been at Ocean Springs for some time, was taken ill yesterday. This information came from Surgeon Murray, who did not state the nature of the illness, but Dr. Wyman supposes it to be yellow fever.

Surgeon Murray has engaged a nurse who will care for him. Dr. Wasdin has been actively engaged since the outbreak of yellow fever at Ocean Springs and was present at the first autopsy, at which the conclusion was reached that the disease was yellow JACK.

Dr. Gode, the president of the Alabama state board of health, has telegraphed Dr. Wyman that all measures have been taken to prevent the spread of the disease which has manifested itself at Mobile. The inmates of the hospital where the disease appeared were quarantined, and the room formerly occupied by the yellow fever patient had been thoroughly disinfected. There was no report of suspected cases. Dr. John Guiteras has been ordered to remain in Mobile for the present, as his services are necessary for further investigation. He will make a daily report to the surgeon general.

More Cases at Biloxi.

BILOXI, Miss., Sept. 14.—The condition of affairs as regards the yellow fever is not materially changed from the former reports. Most of those sick are improving rapidly. The condition of all is favorable.

Two new cases have been reported in the Desporte family, living on Oak street, just near the point. This makes four cases in that family.

One new case was reported by Dr. Harrelson. Dr. Tackett reported three new cases. Dr. Tackett has 14 cases of fever, nine of which he diagnoses as yellow fever, and this is concurred in by Dr. Grant, who had just made the round of visits with him.

Dr. Grant further says the evidences of yellow fever are as clear and distinct with the Bosarge family as he has ever seen in any case.

Little Traffic at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 14.—Every town of importance is quarantined against New Orleans.

When people summed up matters and found that there were only seven imported cases and that they had been warned as to six of them, they decided to wait until the situation should become more aggravated before making a break for other ports.

There was therefore no heavy out-going travel and very little incoming.

The natives have, contrary to expectations, not become frightened over the existence of yellow fever, and whatever depression exists is due to the fact that business, which was 30 per cent above the usual, has fallen off.

Austin Declares Quarantine.

AUSTIN, Sept. 14.—State Health Officer Swearingen has declared rigid quarantine against New Orleans and will positively forbid any persons coming in from that section.

Harvest Hands Badly Needed.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14.—The problem of how to obtain help to harvest this year's crop has become serious to the fruit growers of California. One employment agency in this city has places open for 3,000 men in Fresno, Tulare, and Fresno counties alone, while Napa, Sonoma, Yolo, Santa Clara, and Yuba counties are not far behind. Last year for this class of work men were paid \$20 a month and board. Now \$1 a day and board is the regular thing.

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and all the train of evils

from early errors late excesses; the results of

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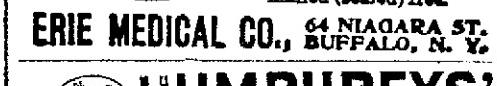
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His Return.

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"Because," he explained, very earnestly, "once in a great while I like to have my own way."

Shortly thereafter he had slammed the door and started for the club, and she was excitedly asking herself why she had ever been foolish enough to marry—Chicago Post.

Not Necessary.

"I have just had a note from Willie's teacher," said Mrs. Purvane, "and she says that he is very deficient in spelling."

"What in thunder is he studying spelling for?" demanded Mr. Purvane, angrily. "Does his teacher mean to insinuate that he won't be rich enough to hire a typewriter?"—Chicago Post.

A Harrowing Tale.

Morris—You was telling me the other day that a neighbor of yours had disappeared. You said that he had money with him and it was feared he had met with foul play.

Nimmins—It turned out as we feared. It seems he went off on a wedding trip.—Boston Transcript.

An Ill-Timed Call.

The New Pastor—Good morning, my dear child. Is your mamma at home?

Willie—Yes, sir. she's at home, but I'm afraid the consolations of religion will be thrown away on her to-day, sir.

"Dear me, and why so?"

"She's having trouble with her jelly, sir."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Tar Heel's Tough Luck.

A North Carolina newspaper has this local item:

"As Col. Williams was driving home yesterday lightning struck his wagon and completely demolished a four-gallon demijohn of very fine whisky. The colonel has the sympathy of the community."—Atlanta Constitution.

One Implied the Other.

"I am poor but honest," he began, when the other interrupted him.

"You can leave off half of that," he said.

"Do you mean that I am not honest?"

"No I mean that you are poor."—N. Y. Journal.

Still They Are One.

"A man and a woman," remarked the observer of men and things, "are quite likely to look at a thing from opposite points of view; a man will see nothing but the outside, where a woman has no eyes for anything but the layout."—Detroit Journal.

A General Break.

Mrs. Doyle—What was all that noise at your house this morning?

Mrs. Doyle—The servant broke some of the china and then my husband broke one of the commandments.—N. Y. Truth.

Incomprehensible.

"There's another piece in the paper about a fellow gettin' drowned while white washin'," said Soiled Simpson to Dirty Dickin.

"Why will people run such awful risks?" asked Mr. Dickin.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Tennison Up to Date.

Bikes, bikes, bikes! They are everywhere! 'Tis plain the day when 'twas safe to cross the street.

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ROW IN COMMON COUNCIL

ALDERMEN INDULGED IN "FIGHTING TALK" LAST NIGHT.

"You're a liar," said Mr. Allen in reply to Mr. Memory's insinuations. "You're a dirty, stinking sneak," was Mr. Memory's elegant retort. Wrangle over the stone crusher bill precipitated the Rutherford-Presiden-tance's reproof to Mr. Memory—the business of the meeting.

There was a "hot time" in the Common Council Monday night. Alderman Memory made insinuations and charges against Mr. Allen and was twice called a liar and retorted by calling Alderman Allen a "dirty, stinking sneak," when a hasty adjournment ended this most disgraceful episode in the history of this most turbulent and faction-ridden Council.

The ruction occurred late in the evening after all the spectators and Peacemaker and Peacekeeper Bastian had gone home.

The meeting had been harmonious on the surface, though the Council had displeased His Honor, the Mayor, in a sewer matter.

STONE CRUSHER BILL MADE THE TROUBLE:

The Auditing Committee referred the Climax Company's bill of \$1,300 for the stone crusher back to the Council.

Mr. Allen objected to paying the bill, saying that the crusher was guaranteed to crush 140 tons of stone in ten hours, but at no time had it reached 100 tons when pushed to its fullest capacity.

Mr. Memory popped up and said:

"Mr. Allen is prejudiced against this crusher. He knows that it has never been put where it can do its best. It should be taken off the wheels to prevent vibration and consequent loss of power when I believe it would do all that it is required to do. Mr. Allen has been purposely holding up that bill, and I move that it be paid."

Mr. Crans seconded the motion, but it was lost. Messrs. Mance, Allen, Ogden and Tierney voting "no."

Then Mr. Memory again regained the floor. He talked very dramatically, his voice sinking to chords generally heard on the left end of a quartette and said:

"We should maintain the credit of our city and we can only do so by paying our just bills. You may be impairing the credit of this company by refusing to pay that bill. All debts should be paid by the city when transactions are fulfilled."

Mr. Allen (interrupting)—"We want our transactions fulfilled."

THE ROW PRETENDED.

Mr. Memory (glaring at Mr. Allen)—"I'm getting sick and tired of your actions in this Board. You are prejudiced against the crusher. As chairman of the Street Committee you do no work. You never meet the committee and you have never been near the street work on Centre and King streets. You may go there nights or Sundays, but Street Commissioner Reed has never seen you while the work is in progress. I've got your record, sir, and I'll expose you to this whole city and to this Board."

RETURNS UNCONTROVERSIAL.

Mr. Allen—"You're a liar."

Mr. Memory—"Don't you say that again, sir!"

Mr. Allen—"You're a liar!"

Mr. Memory—"Your language only gives you away, sir. It shows your breeding. You're a dirty, stinking sneak!"

Having worked himself to a pitch of excitement which he could not control, Mr. Memory refused to obey the chairman's call to come to order. He hesitated for a moment, when Mr. Mance said:

"You must come to order. You made charges against Mr. Allen and he replied, and rightly so. Mr. Allen, I admire the task you have taken."

Mr. Memory pointed his index finger at the chairman and said:

"The chairman of this board should hold up its dignity. You should preserve its order and protect its members from attacks. You cannot, sir—You have not the ability, sir—"

A HASTY ADJOURNMENT.

Mr. Mance had reportedly knocked for order, and now with a fine white wash rag, he stained the gavel on the nibble and adjourned the council.

Mr. Allen walked over to Mr. Memory and putting his face close to that of the Fourth Ward's representative hissed:

"Don't you ever talk that way to me on the street." Then he launched his avaricious assault against the Alderman from the Fourth, as he reached for his hand, handing Mr. Memory against the wall.

THE COUNCIL RECONVENED.

Mr. Mance, who had made a bee-line for the door and cooler air, returned and reconvened the meeting that the other folks might be audited.

He said that hereafter when members are called to order he should insist on their coming to order or he would take other steps.

Mr. Memory who had recovered his nerve, moved that \$1,000 be paid on account. Mr. Mance urged that to pay any part would doubtless fasten the Council. Mr. Ogden thought an expert should be engaged to test the machine.

Mr. Memory then made another long speech which he wound up by saying that he hated quarrels and bickerings, but that he felt aggrieved. He was sorry for what had occurred during this session.

REPROVED BY THE PRESIDENT.

A calm discussion followed and Mr. Mance stated that he was glad Mr. Memory was sorry. He thought the latter had not treated some members well and added that the Mayor now has a letter in his pocket which explains why the president would not and could not work with the Alderman from the Fourth.

Mr. Mance further said: "You claim

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